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In response to the Official Office Action of March 14, 2006, Applicants respond as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2, wherein Applicant hereby cancels non-elected claims 6-8 without bias or prejudice.

Remarks begin on page 5, wherein Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-5 for prosecution on the merits.